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REMARKS

Claims 35, 42, and 43 are pending in the present application, with claims 35, 42, and 43 being the independent claims. Claim 35 has been amended. Claims 42 and 43 are newly added. Claims 1-34 and 36-41 are hereby canceled without prejudice. No new matter has been added. A Final Rejection was issued on July 18, 2008 rejecting claims 1-34 and 36-41, and allowing claim 35.

Applicants respectfully request the specification be amended as recited herein to recite additional related applications.

Applicants thank Examiner Long for discussing the allowance of claim 35 and the potential for allowance of new claims 42 and 43 with Applicants' undersigned representative in telephone conversations on September 16, 2008 and September 24, 2008. Applicants believe agreement was reached as to the form of allowable claims and submit herewith claims which Applicants believe are allowable based on the discussions held between Examiner Long and Applicants' undersigned representative. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to placed this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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